



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Unit : 1711  
Examiner : Terressa M. Boykin  
Serial No. : 10/517,999  
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Title : POLYLACTIC ACID BASE POLYMER  
: COMPOSITION, MOLDING THEREOF  
: AND FILM

Customer No.: 035811

Docket No.: TIP-04-1329

Confirmation No.: 7280

Dated: September 5, 2006

**CLAIM OF EXTENSION OF TIME FOR RESPONSE**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

Applicants, through their undersigned attorney, hereby respectfully claim a one (1) month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) extending the time for Response to the outstanding Official Action dated May 18, 2006 from August 18, 2006 to September 18, 2006.

A check in the amount of \$120 is being submitted herewith pursuant to the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a).

Confirmation of the foregoing Extension of Time is respectfully solicited.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2719. A duplicate copy of this claim is enclosed.

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